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For: A COMPOUND MOLD AND

STRUCTURED SURFACE ARTICLES CONTAINING GEOMETRIC STRUCTURES

WITH COMPOUND FACES AND METHOD

OF MAKING SAME

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<u>AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.J16</u>

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated 01/02/2003, please amend the application as

follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend claim(s) 16, 20 and 40 as follows:

(Amended) A compound substrate comprising a substantially replicated 16. substrate having a structured surface and a discontinuous machined substrate covering only a portion of the structured surface, the compound substrate also comprising at least one geometric structure comprising a cube corner elements.

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